HOUSE MESSAGE SUMMARY

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BILL: CS/CS/SB 1476

SPONSOR: Health and Human Services Appropriations Committee, Governmental Oversight

Committee, Children and Families Committee, Campbell, Margolis, Lynn

SUBJECT: CFS Department/Contracts/Service Provider

PREPARED BY: Senate Committee on Children and Families

DATE: May 4, 2005

I. Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 – 814009 (body with title)

II. Summary of Amendments Contained in Message:

House Amendment 1 is a strike-all developed by House and Senate staff to remove portions of the bill which are either no longer necessary or in conflict with SB 1146, the contracting bill which generally governs state agency contracting.

The amendment restores the definition of "outsourcing" which was inadvertently removed from the original bill in House Amendment 1.

The amendment authorizes the Department of Children and Family Services to enter into agreements with a private contractor to finance, design, and construct a secure facility for sexually violent predators. This language was originally included in the implementing bill but was removed. There is no fiscal impact from this language since the appropriations bill already includes the dollars for the agreement.